

MEMORANDUM



TO:

Diane O' Ouinn-Williams, Director

Department of Planning and Zoning

DATE:

January 20, 2004

SUBJECT:

C-14 #Z2003000300

Cardan of South Dade, LLC W/O SW 194th Avenue & S/O

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FROM:

Alyce M. Robertson, Assistant Director **Environmental Resources Management**

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DIRECTOR'S OFFICE DEPT. OF PLANNING & ZONING

DERM has reviewed the subject application and has determined that it meets the minimum requirements of Chapter 24 of the Code of the Miami-Dade County, Florida. Accordingly, DERM may approve the application and it may be scheduled for public hearing. DERM has also evaluated the request insofar as the general environmental impact that may derive from it, and based upon the available information offers no objection to its approval.

Water Supply:

The closest public water main is located approximately 1,320 feet from the site. Based on the proposed request, the subject property is within a feasible distance for connection to public water; therefore DERM shall require connection to the public water supply system.

Existing public water facilities and services meet the Level of Service (LOS) standards set forth in the Comprehensive Development Master Plan (CDMP). Furthermore, the proposed development order, if approved, will not result in a reduction in the LOS standards subject to compliance with the conditions stipulated by DERM for this proposed development order.

Wastewater Disposal:

The closest public sanitary sewer is located approximately 1,320 feet from the site. Based on the proposed request, the subject property is within a feasible distance for connection to public sanitary sewers; therefore, DERM shall require that any development on the site be connected to the public sanitary sewer system. All sewer lines shall be required to comply with exfiltration requirements as applied to wellfield protection areas.

Existing public sanitary sewer facilities and services meet the Level of Service (LOS) standards set forth in the CDMP. Furthermore, the proposed development order, if approved, will not result in a reduction in the LOS standards subject to compliance with the conditions required by DERM for this proposed development order.

Stormwater Management:

All stormwater shall be retained on site utilizing properly designed seepage or infiltration drainage structures. Drainage plans shall provide for full on-site retention of the stormwater runoff of a 5-year storm event. Pollution Control devices shall be required at all drainage inlet structures.

A Standard General Environmental Resource Permit from DERM shall be required for the construction and operation of the required surface water management system. The applicant is advised to contact DERM in order to obtain additional information concerning permitting requirements.

The project is located within the Redlands Brownfield area where environmental site assessment may be required.

Site grading and development shall comply with the requirements of Chapter 11C of the Code of Miami-Dade County.

Any proposed development shall comply with County and Federal flood criteria requirements. The proposed development order, if approved, will not result in a reduction in the Level of Service standards for flood protection set forth in the Comprehensive Development Master Plan subject to compliance with the conditions required by DERM for this proposed development order.

Wetlands:

The subject site is not located in jurisdictional wetlands as defined in Chapter 24-3 and 24-58 of the Code; therefore, a Class IV Permit for work in wetlands will not be required by DERM.

Notwithstanding the above, permits from the Army Corps of Engineers (USACOE), the State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) and the South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) may be required for the proposed project. The applicant is advised to contact these agencies concerning their permit procedures and requirements.

Tree Preservation:

Section 24-60 of the Code requires the preservation of tree resources. A Miami-Dade County tree removal permit is required prior to the removal or relocation of any trees. The applicant is advised to contact DERM staff for permitting procedures and requirements.

Enforcement History:

DERM has reviewed the Permits and Enforcement database and the Enforcement Case Tracking System and has found no open or closed formal enforcement records for the subject properties identified in the subject application.

Concurrency Review Summary:

The Department has conducted a concurrency review for this application and has determined that the same meets all applicable Levels of Service standards for an initial development order, as specified in the adopted Comprehensive Development Master Plan for potable water supply, wastewater disposal and flood protection. Therefore, the application has been approved for concurrency subject to the comments and conditions contained herein.

This concurrency approval does not constitute a final concurrency statement and is valid only for this initial development order as provided for in the adopted methodology for concurrency review. Additionally, this approval does not constitute any assurance that the LOS standards would be met by any subsequent development order applications concerning the subject property.

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In summary, the application meets the minimum requirements of Chapter 24 of the Code and therefore, it may be scheduled for public hearing; furthermore, this memorandum shall constitute DERM's written approval as required by the Code. Additionally, DERM has also evaluated the application so as to determine its general environmental impact and after reviewing the available information offers no objections to the approval of the request.

cc: Lynne Talleda, Zoning Hearings-P&Z
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